

## DISCRIMINATION IN PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS



MISSOURI COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

because of race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, or disability

## IS PROHIBITED BY LAW IN MISSOURI

Missouri's Human Rights Act stipulates:



It is illegal for anyone, for any of the above reasons, to deny access to or treat someone unequally in public places.

The law covers <u>any place</u> offering goods or services to the general public.

Note: Most complaints must be filed within 180 days of alleged discrimination.

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"The function of the Commission shall be to encourage fair treatment for and to foster mutual understanding and respect among, and to discourage discrimination against, any racial, ethnic, religious or other group protected by this chapter, members of these groups or persons with disabilities." Section 213.020.2 RSMO **POSTING REQUIRED BY 8 CSR 60-3.010**